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SUBJECT: JCA 20th ANNUAL JURIED EXHIBIT AND AWARDS

Jasper Community Arts is pleased to announce its **20th ANNUAL JURIED ART EXHIBIT** in the Krempp Gallery at the Jasper Arts Center. The show runs from September 4-29, 2013. The exhibit includes a wide variety of media and techniques: watercolor, oil, acrylic, wood, ceramics, screen print, photography, collage, fiber, sculpture, and graphite. The exhibit consists of two and three-dimensional work. Only artists from Indiana, its contiguous states or former residents could apply. The Juror, Fran Lattanzio is an award-winning photographer who is currently the Professor of Art at Indiana State University, and has taught for more than 38 years. She holds a Master of Fine Arts and a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of Michigan.

Jasper Community Arts and its Visual Arts Committee will hold the **Juried Show Awards Reception** during their **FIRST THURSDAY** event at the Krempp Gallery on Thursday, September 5th, from 5 – 8 p.m. This is a great opportunity for the public to meet the artists and share in the festivities of the JCA's annual Juried Show. \$2,000 in prize monies will be awarded in the categories of **BEST OF SHOW, AWARD OF EXCELLENCE, HIGH HONOR AWARD** and five **HONORABLE MENTIONS**.

Artists selected by the Juror for the exhibit are:

From Indiana: Abby Laux, Celestine; Amelia Ebert, Ferdinand; Amy DeLap, Vincennes; Arne Kvaalen, West Lafayette; Beth Schnellenberger, Jasper; Bill Whorral, Shoals; Bob Zasadny, Oakland City, IN; Bryan Freson, Jasper, IN; Carolyn Stachera, Fort Wayne; Curtis Uebelhor, Ferdinand; Donna Lee Adams, Greenwood; Jim Pearson, Lawrenceville; Kazhia Kolb, Saint Meinrad; Kerri Mehringer, Schnellville; Laura Pommier, Jasper; Marilyn Lake McElwain, Indianapolis; Michael R. Tingley, Terre Haute; Paula J. Dalton, Anderson; Rob Millard-Mendez, Evansville; Rod Bradfield, Terre Haute; Sally Schmett, Huntingburg; Shayna Roos, Ferdinand; Stacy Graan-Wilson, French Lick; Wade Bell, Milltown.

From Kentucky: Beverly Glascock, Louisville; Marti Plager, Louisville.

From Ohio: Amber Hoy, Athens; Debrah Butler, Kent.

From North Carolina: Betty Hendrix

The Krempp Gallery is open to the public Monday through Friday from 8:30a.m. to 5 p.m., until 7 p.m. on Thursdays, and on Sundays from noon to 3 p.m. It is also open by appointment by calling (812) 482-3070. School groups, clubs and students are welcome. **Closed Labor Day weekend.**

The Krempp Gallery is managed by the Jasper Community Arts, a department of the City of Jasper. JCA is supported by the Friends of the Arts, Inc., the Indiana Arts Commission and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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